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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 18, 2002, applicant elects the invention of Group I (claims 1-8), drawn to isolated polypeptides. The election is made without traverse.

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